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The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
Chief Clerk/Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

**RE: Petition of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC for Approval of CPRE Queue Number Proposal, Limited Waiver of Generator Interconnection Procedures, and Request for Expedited Review
Docket No. 2018-202-E**

Dear Ms. Boyd:

As explained below, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (“DEC”) and Duke Energy Progress, LLC (“DEP,” together with DEC the “Companies”) respectfully request the Commission carry over Utilities Item #5, which is listed on the Agenda for tomorrow’s Commission meeting. ORS and SBA do not object to this request.

On August 30, 2019, the Companies filed a Petition requesting the Commission extend certain waivers of the generator interconnection procedures for Tranche 2 of the CPRE Program in the above-referenced docket. On September 9, 2019, the South Carolina Solar Business Alliance (“SBA”) filed comments on the Companies’ Petition, and yesterday, November 4, 2019, the Office of Regulatory Staff (“ORS”) filed comments as well. The Companies’ Petition is currently scheduled to be acted upon at tomorrow’s weekly agenda meeting.

In light of the comments filed by ORS, the Companies believe it would be beneficial for SBA, ORS and the Companies to collectively discuss the comments from ORS and SBA in an attempt to generate further consensus surrounding the generator interconnection waivers requested for Tranche 2 of the CPRE Program. Accordingly, the Companies respectfully request that the Commission carry this item over. The Companies will provide a report on the status of these discussions by November 15, 2019.

DEC and DEP appreciate the Commission’s consideration of this request.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Rebecca Dulin". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Rebecca" and the last name "Dulin" clearly distinguishable.

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C: Parties of Record (via email)